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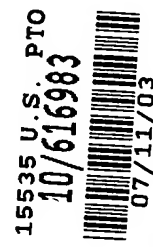
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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



Re: Application of Ryuusuke NAITOU, Amane MOCHIZUKI, Kazunori MUNE,
Naoki SADAYORI, and Takahiro FUKUOKA
PROCESS OF PRODUCING POLYMER OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE
Assignee: NITTO DENKO CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q76027

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-six (36) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and two (2) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. **Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>5</u>	-	20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u>	-	3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee										\$750.00
TOTAL FILING FEE										\$750.00
Recordation of Assignment										\$40.00
TOTAL FEE										\$790.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority/Benefit is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2002-208428	July 17, 2002
JAPAN	2003-059233	March 5, 2003

The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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